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"Competitive Review" comparing the invention with state of the art for travel destination selection web sites (dated, by fax imprint, Nov. 11, 2000). Such review includes screen shots and descriptions of the following web sites as of the document date.

www.allexperts.com
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Respectfully submitted,



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